Anna's Hummingbirds

- They live in many places in California.
- They are the largest resident hummingbirds in our state.
- They stay here all year.
- They need many things to grow, reproduce, and survive.

To Grow:

- They need lots of nectar from flowers.
- They like flowers that are brightly colored red and orange.
- They like flowers that are shaped like a tube.
- They need nectar year-round.
- They also eat insects and spiders.
- They need water to drink.





To Survive:

- They need to wash sticky nectar off their wings. If nectar stays on their feathers, the feathers may fall off.
- They need their water and shelter to be off the ground. This protects them from animals, such as cats.
- They need trees or bushes to perch in. They use trees or bushes for shelter when the weather is bad.
- Pesticides on plants will kill insects, which the birds need for food.

To Reproduce:

- They need to make nests in trees or bushes.
- They need materials, such as leaves, spider webs, and moss to make their nests



Plants



California Fuchsia

- Flowering plant
- Blooms in summer, fall, and early winter



California Poppy

- Flowering plant
- Blooms in spring



Coast Live Oak

Common California tree



Gooseberries

- Flowering plant
- Grows to the size of a shrub
- Blooms in winter and early spring



Manzanita

- Flowering plant
- Can grow as tall as trees
- Blooms in winter



Pink Showy Penstemon

- Flowering plant
- Blooms in late spring and early summer



Red Bush Monkeyflower

- Flowering plant
- Blooms in summer



Wild Lilac

- Flowering plant
- Blooms in spring

Other Items



Pond

Put this plastic pond into the ground. It will be a pool of water in your garden.



Small Garden Fountain

Water flows over the edges of this fountain. It is high off the ground.



Pesticides

These chemicals kill insects in gardens.